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MISSION 8045

21 SEPTEMBER 1965

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SEPTEMBER 1965

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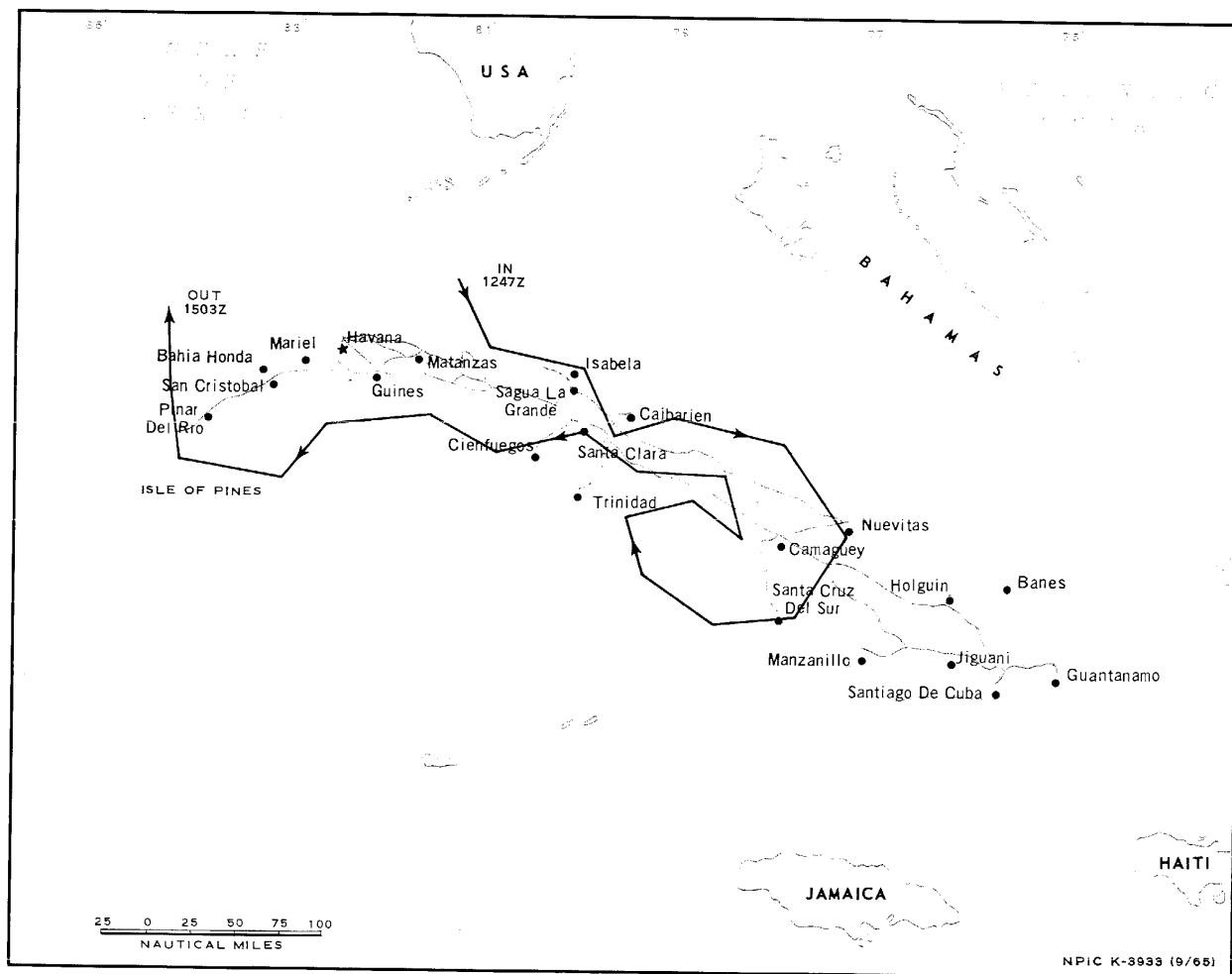
THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM [REDACTED] MISSION 8045, DATED 21 SEPT 65. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE RIGHT MARGIN OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOLS USED TO INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS FOLLOWS -- C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUD COVER), HC (HEAVY CLOUD COVER), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW), SD (SEMIDARKNESS), O (OBLIQUITY), PQ (POOR IMAGE QUALITY).

AAA DEFENSES ARE DIVIDED INTO THREE BASIC CATEGORIES -- LIGHT (ZPU-2, ZPU-4, AND 37MM), MEDIUM (57MM AND 85MM), AND HEAVY (100MM AND LARGER). WHERE SUCH A CATEGORY CANNOT BE DETERMINED, THE SITE WILL BE LISTED AS AN AAA SITE AND THE NUMBER OF GUNS INDICATED (EXAMPLE 6-GUN AAA SITE, OCCUPIED/UNOCCUPIED).

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APPROXIMATE TRACK OF [REDACTED] MISSION 8045, 21 SEPTEMBER 1965.

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ITEM OF SPECIAL INTEREST

COMOR TARGET NUMBERS IN THE 7A CATEGORY (MILITARY INSTALLATIONS) HAVE BEEN REDESIGNATED. THIS AND FUTURE REPORTS WILL REFLECT THE NEW COMOR NUMBERING SYSTEM.

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MISSILES

SANTA CLARA SAM SITE

CU 2229N 08000W

SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED.
SCATTERED CLOUDS AND HAZE LIMIT INTERPRETATION.

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RANCHUELO SAM SITE

CU 2223N 08010W

FOUR UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (2 WITH MISSILES), AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR, 5 VAN TRAILERS AND ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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AIR FACILITIES

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD

CU 2229N 07956W

AIRCRAFT -- 2 PROBABLE FARMER, 19 FAGOT/FRESCO, 1 LIAISON AND 6 HOUND OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD

CU 2125N 07750W

AIRCRAFT -- 4 POSSIBLE CRATE.

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CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD

CU 2307N 08117W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD

CU 2205N 08409W

AIRCRAFT -- 4 FAGOT/FRESCO, 17 ZLIN TRENER AND 1 HOUND
OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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COLONEL MARTIN MARRERRO AIRFIELD

CU 2150N 08246W

AIRCRAFT -- 1 COLT.
THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED. SIX ADDITIONAL
AAA PIECES OBSERVED.

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JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD

CU 2209N 08024W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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NAVAL ACTIVITY/PORTS

CIENFUEGOS NAVAL BASE

CU 2208N 08027W

VESSELS -- 2 KRONSTADT-CLASS PC, 1 PCE, 8 P-6 MTB (2
ON MARINE RAILWAY), 1 YP AND 2 LARGE FREIGHTERS.

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NUEVITAS PORT

CU 2132N 07715W

VESSELS -- 1 PROBABLE LARGE FREIGHTER OBSERVED IN
CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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LA ISABELA PORT

CU 2256N 08000W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

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MILITARY ACTIVITY

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REMEDIOS MILITARY AREA

CU 2227N 07935W

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FORMERLY [REDACTED]
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
AT LEAST 190 CARGO TRUCKS, 3 VAN TRUCKS, 2 VAN
TRAILERS, 11 FA PIECES AND 7 UNIDENTIFIED PIECES OF
EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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ANTON RECIO MILITARY INSTALLATION

CU 2211N 08036W

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FORMERLY [REDACTED]
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
TWENTY-ONE TANKS/SP GUNS, AND 6 CARGO TRUCKS OBSERVED.
THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED.

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JURAGUA MILITARY ACTIVITY

CU 2209N 08035W

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FORMERLY [REDACTED]
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
THIRTY-SEVEN CARGO TRUCKS, 21 FA PIECES, AND 17 MORTARS
OBSERVED.

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MINAS MILITARY CAMP

CU 2127N 07734W

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FORMERLY [REDACTED]
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
NINETEEN TANKS/SP GUNS, 24 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 3 PROBABLE
MORTARS OBSERVED.

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SANTA CLARA ARTILLERY TRAINING AREA

CU 2222N 08000W

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FORMERLY [REDACTED]
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES IN ALL AREAS.
AREA 1 41 CARGO TRUCKS.
AREA 2 30 CARGO TRUCKS, 2 UTILITY TRUCKS, 3 CARGO

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TRAILERS, 5 FA PIECES AND 4 PROBABLE MORTARS OBSERVED
IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.
AREA 3 -- 8 CARGO TRUCKS.
AREA 4 -- 22 TANKS/SP GUNS, 24 CARGO TRUCKS AND 5 VAN
TRUCKS.

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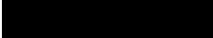
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SANTA FE MILITARY CAMP LA CLARITA

CU 2144N 08247W

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FORMERLY 
MAIN CAMP -- CLOUD COVERED.
CAMP 1.5 NM WNW -- IDENTIFICATION ONLY.
CAMP 4.8 NM NW -- 4 CARGO TRUCKS AND 11 UNIDENTIFIED
PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS OBSERVED-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE LAST COVERAGE--

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| NUEVA GERONA PORT | 2153N 08248W |
| SURGIDERO DE BATABANO PORT | 2241N 08217W |
| SANTA CLARA EW/GCI RADAR SITE | 2229N 07956W |
| SAN JULIAN EW/GCI RADAR SITE | 2206N 08409W |
| VARADERO LOW SIEVE RADAR SITE | 2311N 08108W |
| SAN MIGUEL EW/GCI RADAR SITE | 2229N 07953W |
| CORRALILLO MILITARY AREA | 2301N 08038W |
| GUANE MILITARY CAMP | 2212N 08408W |
| MARTI ARMOR TRAINING AREA | 2258N 08059W |
| VARADERO LANDING BEACH | 2307N 08118W |
| PLAYA COLOMBO LANDING BEACH | 2154N 08246W |
| PLAYA DE FLAMENCOS LANDING BEACH | 2153N 08243W |

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED--

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| CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA | 2236N 08005W |
| SAGUA LA GRANDE EW/GCI RADAR SITE 2 | 2248N 08006W |
| CANTEL MILITARY CAMP | 2302N 08119W |
| SANTA FE MILITARY CAMP LUMUMBA | 2142N 08249W |
| CIENFUEGOS LANDING BEACH | 2202N 08036W |
| ENSENADA COLORADO LANDING BEACH | 2202N 08025W |

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